Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

PTO/SB/05 (12/97) Approved for use through 09/30/00. OMB 0651-0032

140283-1/YOD

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Attorney Docket No. Total Pages

PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL** (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

GERD:0105 First Named Inventor or Application Identifier William Thomas Hatfield

EV 365 158 139 US Express Mail Label No.

APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents. 1.									
1.									
Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing) Specification Total Pages 16 Total Pages 16 Total Pages 17 Specification Total Pages 18 Total Pages 19 Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)									
3. □ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets 4 Total Pages 12 4. Oath or Declaration a. □ Newly executed (original or copy) b. □ Copy from a prior application (37CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed) (Note Box 5 below) i. □ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 5. □ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. 8. □ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 9. □ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement □ Power of Attorney (where there is an assignee) 10. □ English Translation Document (if applicable) 11. □ Information Disclosure □ Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 □ Citations 12. □ Preliminary Amendment 13. □ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. □ Small Entity □ Statement filed in prior application Statement(s) Status still proper and desired 14. □ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 15. □ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)									
4. Oath or Declaration a.									
4. Oath or Declaration a.									
4. Oath or Declaration a.									
i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. 12. Preliminary Amendment 13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) 14. Small Entity Statement filed in prior application Statement(s) Status still proper and desired 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. Other									
5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. 13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) Small Entity Statement filed in prior application Statement(s) Status still proper and desired 15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) Other									
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed) 16. Other									
16. Other									
17. Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No:/									
18. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS									
Сustomer Number or Bar Code Label (Insert Customer No. or Attach bar code label here)									
NAME Patrick S. Yoder									
FLETCHER YODER									
ADDRESS P.O. Box 692289									
CITY Houston STATE Texas ZIP CODE 77269-2289 COUNTRY USA TELEPHONE (281) 970-4545 Fax (281) 970-4503									

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Mail Stop Patent Application, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

PTO/SB/17 (10/96)
Approved for use through 09/30/98. OMB 0651-0032
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

Complete if Known **Application Number** unassigned **Filing Date** herewith **FEE TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor** William Thomas Hatfield **Group Art Unit** unknown **Examiner Name** unknown (\$) 1,338.00 Attorney Docket Number 140283-1/YOD (GERD:0105) **TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT**

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)		FEE CALCULATION (continued)							
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:			3. ADDITIONAL FEES						
Deposit 07-0868/140283-1/	YOD (GERD:0105)	Large Fee	Entity Fee	Small Fee	Entity Fee				
Account		Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid		
Number			130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
Deposit General Electric Global Research Center Account			50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing or cover sheet.	_		
Name			130	139	130	Non-English specification			
Charge Any Additional Charge the Issue Fee Set in 37			2,520		2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	_		
Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.18 at the Mailing of the CFR 1.16 and 1.17 Notice of Allowance, 37 CFR 1.31(b)			920	112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	_		
2. Payment Enclosed:			1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
☐ Check ☐ Money Order ☐ Other			110	215	55	Extension for response within first month	_		
		116	400	216	200	Extension for response within second month	_		
FEE CALCULATION (1	fees effective 10/01/96)	117	950	217	475	Extension for response within third month			
1. FILING FEE		118	1,570	218	755	Extension for response within fourth month	_		
Large Entity Small Entity		119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal			
Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description Fee Paid	120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	_		
1001 750 2001 375	Utility filing fee 770.00	121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	_		
1002 330 2002 165 1003 520 2003 260	Design filing fee Plant filing fee	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	_		
1003 320 2003 200	Reissue filing fee	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	_		
1005 160 2005 80	Provisional filing fee	141	1,320	241	660	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	_		
3	UBTOTAL (1) (\$) <u>770.00</u>	142	1,320	242	660	Utility issue fee (or reissue)			
		143	450	243	225	Design issue fee	_		
2. CLAIMS	- <i>(</i>	144	670	244	335	Plant issue fee			
Extra	Fee from Fee Paid below	122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
Total Claims <u>35</u> - 20 = <u>15</u>	X 18 = <u>270.00</u>	123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	_		
Independent $\underline{6} - 3 = \underline{3}$ Claims	X 86 = <u>258.00</u>	126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	_		
Multiple Dependent Claims	X =	581	40	581	40	Recording each patent	<u>40.00</u>		
Large Entity Small Entity		440	700	040	205	assignment per property (times number of properties)			
Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	146	790	246	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
1202 18 2202 9 1201 84 2201 42	Claims in excess of 20 Independent claims in	149	790	249	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
	excess of 3	Othe	r fee lene	ecify)		(5. 5) ((1.120(5))			
1203 280 2203 140	Multiple dependent claim		Other fee (specify)				-		
1204 84 2204 42	Reissue independent daims over original patent	Oute	Other fee (specify)				(\$) <u>40.00</u>		
1205 18 2205 9	Reissue claims in excess of of 20 and over original patent	* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid							
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) <u>528.00</u>									

SUBMITTED BY Complete (if applicable)									
Typed or Printed Name	Patrick S. Yoder	Reg. N	Reg. Number 37,479						
Signature	Pa	Date	March 30,	2004	Deposit Acct. User ID	07-0868/140283-1/YOD (GERD:0105)			